

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| APPLICANT: | PIERRE ESPINOSA               | )                    |
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| SERIAL NO: | 10/560,625                    | ) Chang, Rick Kiltae |
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| FOR:       | METHOD FOR SETTING A STONE IN | )                    |
|            | A METAL ELEMENT               | ) Confirm. No. 9170  |

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In reply to the outstanding Office Action dated October 6, 2009, Applicant requests a three month extension of time, and submits the following for entry and consideration:

Amendment to the Claims, beginning on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks, beginning on page 4 of this paper.